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1. Soviet ships travelling on the Danube to Vienna are exempt from Hungarian custom's inspection. At present these ships represent the only reasonably sure escape route from Hungary.
2. Those who wish to pay 50 - 100,000 Forints to Soviet ship captains can be smuggled aboard to disembark in Vienna. The only risk involved, and it occurs from time to time, is that, after accepting payment, Soviet personnel turn their illegal passengers over to Hungarian authorities.

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